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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application Of:  
GHANSHYAM H. POPAT  
Serial Number: 08/846,421  
Filed: April 30, 1997  
Entitled: **SYSTEM FOR FORMING A SHEET OF  
EASILY AND CLEANLY SEPARABLE  
PRINTABLE MEDIA**

ATTENTION: BOX MISSING  
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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**  
**FILING DATE GRANTED**

Sir:

Responsive to the "Notice To File Missing Parts of Application" mailed September 5, 1997, having a shortened response period set to expire on November 5, 1997, Applicant is

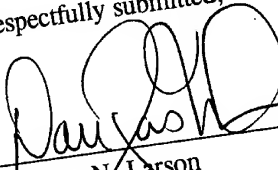
submitting herewith (1) a copy of that Notice; (2) an executed Declaration and Petition; (3) an executed Power of Attorney; (4) an Assignment (with recordation cover sheet and filing fee of \$40.00); (5) a check in the amount of \$130.00 for the filing of this Response (which includes the surcharge fee); and (7) a return postage paid post card.

In the event any variance exists between the amount attached and the Patent and Trademark Office charges, please charge or credit any variance to our Deposit Account No. 16-2230. This Response in triplicate is attached for that purpose.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the official Filing Receipt be issued at an early date.

Dated: October 22, 1997

Respectfully submitted,

  
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An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. However, the items indicated below are missing. The required items and fees identified below must be timely submitted ALONG WITH THE PAYMENT OF A SURCHARGE for items 1 and 3-6 only of \$ 130 for a ☒ large entity ☐ small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27. The surcharge is set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e). Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required above to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a ☒ large entity ☐ small entity (verified statement filed), is \$ 130.

☐ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

- ☐ missing.
- ☐ insufficient.

Applicant must submit \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a verified small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

☐ 2. Additional claim fees of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, including any multiple dependent claim fees, are required.

Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

☐ 3. The oath or declaration:

- ☐ is missing.
- ☐ does not cover the newly submitted items.
- ☐ does not identify the application to which it applies.
- ☐ does not include the city and state or foreign country of applicant's residence.

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

☒ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are:

- ☒ missing.
- ☐ by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43, or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

An oath or declaration listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 6. A \$ \_\_\_\_\_ processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).☐ 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.☐ 8. The application does not comply with the Sequence Rules.

See attached "Notice to Comply with Sequence Rules 37 CFR 1.821-1.825."

☐ 9. OTHER:

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